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It should be noted that the Rosenfeld article (ROSENFELD, Azriel, "Quadtrees and pyramids for pattern recognition and image processing," pp. 802-811 (1980) New York, NY) was previously cited in Applicants' first Information Disclosure Statement and is therefore not listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449.

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